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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, that accompanied the Examiner's Communication mailed December 12, 2000, Applicants submit herewith the required paper copy and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing. Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

On page 6, line 7, insert -- (SEQ ID NO:1)-- after "human HER-2/neu protein". On page 6, line 21, insert -- (SEQ ID NO:11)-- after "mouse Her-2/neu". On page 6, line 22, insert -- (SEQ ID NO:14)-- after "mouse Her-2/neu".